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DOM PEDRO

Supposed to be Dying--Has a Relapse and His Demise Hourly Expected.

H. R. H. the Prince of Wales in Berlin--Declines to Accept the Pope's Rescript.

DOM PEDRO DYING.

Milan, May 23.—The Brazilian Emperor's demise is hourly expected. The relapse of yesterday it is feared will be fatal.

A bulletin this afternoon says Dom Pedro is slightly better.

THE EMPEROR'S HEALTH.

Berlin, May 23.—The Emperor passed a satisfactory night and this morning went out in the park.

THE PRINCE OF WALES.

The Prince of Wales arrived to-day and was met by the Crown Prince, Prince Henry, Duke of Saxe Meinnuger, Dr. Mackenzie and the Governor of Berlin.

WILL NOT ACCEPT.

London, May 23.—The Mayor of Cork has convened a public meeting for Sunday to endorse the Parnellite manifesto. The Town Commissioners of Ballinasloe have unanimously adopted a resolution declining to accept the Pope's ruling in political matters.

PASSPORTS REQUIRED.

Strasburg, May 23.—A decree is under preparation in regrad to Frenchmen entering Alsace-Lorraine. It will require them to present their passports for examination by the German embassy in Paris. They must also be endorsed by the government of these provinces.

CONDENSED NEWS ITEMS.

The Conservatives are going to contest the three Winnipeg seats in the coming local election.

Duluth is congratulating itself on holding nearly half the visible supply of wheat in the States.

Rev. Dr. Cochrane, of Brantford, has entered upon the twenty-seventh year of his ministry at Zion church.

Tom Buckley of Toronto, has been found guilty of the wilful murder of Bertha Usher by the coroner's jury.

The St. Thomas assessor has completed his work for 1888, and gives the population at 10,476, an increase of 205 over last year.

In 1887 the United States shipped 6,000,000 quarters of wheat to Great Britain, while India shipped 1,418,000 quarters.

The unrevised statement of inland revenue for April amounts to $487,841, a decrease of $56,004 for the corresponding month of 1887.

It is understood Sir Charles Tupper will resign the position of Minister of Finance, about the end of the present month, and depart for England immediately afterwards.

The site has been surveyed for the new furniture factory at Brantford, and as the A. Harris, Son & Co., and Brantford Organ Works are to be proceeded with immediately, there is likely to be a big building boom this season.

Sir Richard Cartwright said it was a most extraordinary proceeding that the Government should purchase land at $12 an acre from the Bell Farming company for a territorial farm when the Government had millions of acres of its own.

The estimated cost of the G. T. R. locomotive and boiler shops at Stratford is $110,000, and the city gave $60,000 as a bonus. The car shops will cost $150,000, and a bonus of $60,000 has been provisionally voted by the city towards their erection.

Another American Countess.

American mammas are extremely anxious that their daughters should marry into titled aristocracy of England. The latest captive made of an English noble is Captain Robert Horace Walpole, nephew and heir of the Earl of Oxford who was married on the 18th inst., to Miss Louise Liss Corbin, daughter of D. C. Corbin of New York, at the English Church in the Rue d'Aguesseau. The wedding was very quiet, only relations and intimate friends being present. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Howard Gill. Henry Drummond Wolfe acted as the best man.

The bride is a pretty blonde only 20 years old. There were present Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Corbin, Hon. Mrs. Walpole, Lady Canterbury, sister of the groom, Miss Mary Corbin, sister of the bride, and Austin Corbin. Mr. Corbin's bridal gift to his daughter was a splendid diamond bracelet and a pair of solitaire diamond earrings. From Mrs. Corbin a diamond brooch in the shape of a bow, with five loops, the two long ends tied in a knot, on each part of which were large diamonds filled in with smaller ones.

Captain Walpole's gift was a large diamond ring, diamond brooch and a tiny gold watch set with diamonds.

Lord Oxford sent a beautiful diamond breastpin. The groom's mother sent a money present of several hundred pounds. Henry Drummond Wolfe, Jr., gave a silver ice jug and an exquisitely designed clock.

A Suspicious Death.

The San Francisco *Post* of the 19th inst. states that Coroner Stanton is investigating the death of Captain Thomas Whitworth, of the collier Wellington, plying between San Francisco and Departure Bay, B. C., who died suddenly on the 15th of this month. Dr. Chesley certifying that the cause of death was inflamation of the bowels. Whitworth married the widow of Frank Rutter, who died under exactly similar circumstances two years ago, which has aroused suspicions of poisoning. His wife obtained $2,000 insurance on his life. Whitworth was insured for $4,000. The latter lived with the Rutter's before the first husband died. Mrs. Rutter had considerable money in her maiden name at the Hibernia bank, which she said she received from her mother.

Acquitted and Again Captured.

A London, Ont., dispatch states that the charge of embezzlement brought against Mr. Henry Taylor, of London, Ont., in connection with the failure of the London bank and the Ontario Investment, Savings and Loan Society, was tried before Mr. Justice Galt (Mr. Justice McMahon for private reasons declining to hear the case) last Thursday in that city and acquitted and liberated, but no sooner had he left the court house than he was capissed again. Mr. Taylor has evidently a hard road to travel ere the end of this troublesome affair is reached.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY SPORTS.

The Events--Where and When They Will Take Place.

To-morrow will be the sixty-ninth birthday of Her Majesty Queen Victoria and will be celebrated in this city in a manner which will prove the loyalty and patriotism of Her Majesty's subjects in this portion of the Dominion.

LACROSSE.

The lacrosse match between Victoria and Vancouver will start at 9 o'clock. The following players will take part in the contest between the Queen and Terminal cities: Victoria—Dr Quinlan, field-captain; W G Mackenzie, captain of team; C W Rae, D W Morrow, A E Wade, W Cullen, W J Ledingham, W Clarke, A Kenning, Geo Tite, O Fletcher, Jno Cox, R Clarke. Spare man, C Worsfold. The Vancouver team — Goal, J Bingham; point, A E Suckling; cover point; C N Davidson; defence field, J Brady, A Godfrey; field, J Smith; centre field, J B Law; field, J W Grier; home field, P Simpson; home, E Murphy, D Smith, S Phalen; first spare man, F Alexander; second, J W Gunn.

BASE BALL.

At 10:30 o'clock the International baseball match between the Victoria Amities and Seattle Browns will commence at Beacon Hill. The Seattle team will arrive this evening. The following are the names and positions of the Amity nine: G Bothwich, catcher; J Baker, pitcher; F Jackson, first base; Gus Gowen, second base; Geo Gowen, third base; N Gowen, shortstop; W Duck, left field; T Burns, centre field; F Gouge, right field; J Hannon, substitute.

YACHT RACE.

At 10:30 the sailing race, for a cup presented by Supt. Roycraft, will start from the outer wharf and will pass Beacon Hill on the return from Brochie Ledge

HORSE RACES.

The horse races will start at 10:30. The first race will be a flat race in heats. The second race will be a trotting match in sulkys, best two in three.

ROYAL SALUTE.

At noon a salute will be fired by C Battery, and also on board H. M. S. Wild Swan.

REGATTA.

During the afternoon a grand regatta will take place on the Victoria Arm, commencing at 2 o'clock and closing at 5:30.

THEATRICAL.

During the evening the Derville family will perform at the Victoria, and a social dance will be held in Philharmonic Hall.

The Combination Gave Them Away.

Two men named Taylor and Stewart appeared in the Police Court this morning on a charge of attempting to rob the till of the Occidental Hotel office. It appears that Night Clerk Palmer left the strangers alone in the office about 2 o'clock this morning, while he went to serve a party at the bar. He heard the bell of the till ring and hurrying back found one of the accused behind the counter and the other standing up in front of it. The would-be thieves had missed the combination and the bell had given them away. On the appearance of the night clerk both asked for beds but were summarily kicked out of the hotel by the nocturnal guardian whose good right foot suffers to-day from the effects of its contact with such hard characters. They were subsequently arrested. The police say they are from the Sound and are the advanced posts of a small army of blacklegs which may be expected to be around during the next day or two. Look out for them.

Capt. Sinclair Cremated.

It is believed that Capt. Sinclair, who recently brought a piece of land some 3½ miles outside of New Westminster has met with an untimely death. His cabin was burned a few days since and the remains of a human body was discovered in the ruins, supposed to be those of the captain as no trace of him has been discovered for several days. That he was cremated there can be no doubt in the minds of those who knew him. His ranch was on the Hastings road. As far as can be learned Capt. Sinclair was a temperate man, and not addicted to drinking. Mr. Moresby, of the Provincial police force has been working on the case and fuller particulars will be learned shortly. The remains were to have been brought to New Westminster and a coroner's inquest held.

The Eureka Mine.

There is, we are glad to learn, a prospect that the Eureka silver mine, on Hope Mountain, will shortly be worked. The unassessable stock, which heretofore has been the great obstacle to development, has been purchased by Victoria shareholders, who propose fully testing this rich and conveniently situated mine. Some years ago ore from the Eureka was sent to Swansea for reduction, and notwithstanding the enormous expenses of transportation, it gave very encouraging results. The mine is known to be extremely rich in silver.

Selling Off.

Mr. D. Green, the well known clothier, is advertising a grand clearing sale preparatory to removing from his present stand on Government street, which he is compelled to vacate owing to termination of lease. The entire stock will be sold at extraordinary reductions, and as it is all of the best of its kind the opportunity is a good one to procure clothing and gents' furnishings at and below cost. Mr. Green will remove to St. Nicholas hotel premises, but before doing so wishes to sell his entire stock.

As Usual To-Morrow.

Mr. Robert Ward, President of the the Board of Trade, waited on the Provincial Secretary relative to the ocean steamship subsidy matter. Mr. Robson wired a message to Sir John and received from him the following reply on Tuesday:

We have no intention of violating the Terms of Union. Your representatives understand position. Will write to-morrow.

JOHN A. MACDONALD.

Mass Meeting of Miners.

A mass meeting of the miners of this district will be held at East Wellington, on the "bluff" near the No. 2 shaft, on Saturday, May 26th, at 10 o'clock a. m. The meeting is called by order of the General Committee.

24th May Regatta.

The steam tugs Lottie and Spitfire, with two large barges, will leave Johnson street wharf, foot of ferry landing every half hour for the Gorge. Fare each way 25 cents. May 17-1w

Dead Chinaman.

The dead body of a Chinaman was found at Sooke, near Mr. McMillan's ranch. It has been lying there for some time and should be attended to by the proper authorities.

FAITHLESS STEWARD.

A Clearly Defined Case of Hydrophobia Terminates Fatally in Indiana Yesterday.

President Cleveland Attends the Presbyterian Anniversary in Philadelphia.

A CASE OF HYDROPHOBIA.

New Albany, Ind., May 23—Eugene Chalgane, a glass blower, aged 30, who was bitten on the hand five weeks ago by a dog, died yesterday in great agony. The physician says the case was clearly defined hydrophobia.

A CYCLONE.

Bonham, Texas, May 23—A cyclone passed over the little town of Brooks-town near here last evening. A number of houses were demolished, half a dozen persons injured, and a great deal of damage done in the vicinity.

THE PRESIDENT A PRESBYTERIAN.

Washington, May 23—The President and Mrs. Cleveland left this morning for Philadelphia to attend the Presbyterian anniversary.

A FAITHLESS STEWARD.

Chicago, May 23—An examination of the books of Teller Bradley, of the Union National Bank, shows a shortage of $16,000. Bradley has not been seen since Saturday and it is supposed he is in Canada. He has been an employee of the bank nearly ten years.

A DISCREPANCY.

Rochester, May 23.—The Schlicc and Field company, publishers of the *Cosmopolitan*, have failed. Liabilities over $301,000; assets $84,000.

FROM THE ORIENT.

San Francisco, May. 23—The steamer City of Pekin arrived from China and Japan this morning, with the following advices: A great mass of rock, a hundred tons in weight, became loosened at Admiralty dock, Hongkong, owing to wet weather, recently, and buried four Chinese, crushing them to death.

The Bank pirates made an attack on a military station in Tonquin. They were beaten off, leaving thirty killed.

The town of Ohno, Japan, was destroyed by fire last month. Eighteen hundred houses were burned and several lives lost.

The steamer brings the following particulars of the loss of the steamer San Pablo: Early in the morning the vessel struck a sunken rock north of Turnabout Island. Finding it impossible to back the ship off, as her two holds and coal bunkers were filled with water, and there was danger of capsizing. The passengers and crew took to the boats and made for Turnabout lighthouse, whence they were conveyed to Shanghai. Hundreds of Chinese came off to the lost steamer and were kept from boarding her by the use of firearms and fire-pumps. The steamer soon became a total wreck owing to the heavy sea.

San Francisco, May 23.—A. Henze, charged with being connected with the ring which trafficked in Chinese certificates, withdrew his plea to quash the indictment against him this morning, and pleaded guilty. This action was taken in order to seek a pardon from the President.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Condensed Special Dispatches to The Times---Canadian and American.

Old Congress Hall, West Philadelphia, occupied by the Belmont Iron Co., was burned on Monday.

The Brooklyn Derby, 1¼ miles, was won by Baldwin's Emperor Norfolk, Sir Sixon second, Peince Royal third. Time, 2:08¾.

The J. Lusk Canning Company on Tuesday filed an inventory at San Francisco, showing its liabilities to be $253,680, and assets $39,530.

The five-year-old bay stallion Hector Wilkes, valued at $15,000, died of pneumonia on the 22d inst., at J. H. Sherman's stock farm, Kentucky.

Paul Gratthan, the anarchist agitator, has been released from the Milwaukee House of Correction, after serving but six weeks of his sentence.

The 10-mile bicyle race at North Shields, Eng., between Wood, of England, and Temple, of America, was won by the latter easily. Time, 30.25.

The ship Snow and Burgess, mentioned in the dispatch from New York as being 189 days out for San Francisco and unheard from, arrived safely on Friday evening.

Sir Richard Cartwright has given notice that he would bring up the subject of the discontinuance of the grant for the mail service between British Columbia and the United States.

Mrs. L. Dow, wife of the superintendent of the Redding and Weaverville Stage Co., of Redding, California, committed suicide on Monday by taking poison. No cause assigned.

The Queen Victoria Niagara Falls Park will be formally opened on Thursday next. The park is two and one-half miles long, one eighth mile deep, and has cost the Ontario Government $560,000 and is free to the public.

On the vote of $17,000, the arbitrator's award to McNamee & Co., on account of the Esquimalt Graving Dock contract Messrs. Baker and Prior urged that it should not be paid to McNamee & Co. without some provision for the firm's creditors in British Columbia. The Government said it did not see its way clear to hold the money under the circumstances.

One of Montreal's oldest residents, Col. Lovelace, died on Saturday morning, aged 82. He began his military career in the 52nd Foot, exchanged into the 18th and came to Canada, where he decided to settle, bought a farm in the eastern townships, conducted it successfully, and when the Crimean war broke out was the first Canadian volunteer whose services were accepted. He remained in Turkey till the close of the war. At the Fenian raid, though 67, he volunteered for active service and went to the front in command of the Montreal Cavalry.

The opinion generally obtains that a railroad deal of large proportions is imminent between the Duluth South Shore and Atlantic and the Canadian Pacific railroads. Sir George Stephen, President of the Canadian Pacific railway, Sir Donald A. Smith, a director, and Mr. Van Horne, the General Manager, Mr. Farrar, a banker of London, Col. West and Capt. Pick of Minneapolis, together with officials of the Duluth South Shore and Atlantic are now making a careful and detailed examination of all the buildings of the latter road travelling in a special car.

VICTORIA'S SCHOOL BOARD AND TEACHERS.

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir,—When a number of gentlemen such as constitute the Victoria School Board, adopt a system at variance with the other School Boards throughout the Province there must be some grave necessity for it. Can it be with an earnest desire to further the interests of their schools that they make provision for the removal of any or all of their teachers in so summary a manner? Is it likely that members of the profession, who purpose to make it their life work, will care to risk the chance of being dismissed from a situation under what might justly be regarded as suspicious circumstances? While it may be urged with much apparent force, that the danger of being removed at the end of the year will serve as a stimulus to increased diligence on the part of the teacher, and at the same time render him more tractable in the hands of the trustees, there is another effect as apt to be produced, viz, too great a desire on the part of the teachers to keep in with the trustees, and thus engender one of the most contemptible of characters, and the very worst to be entrusted with the training of our youth. A teacher should be a gentleman, and no sycophant can be such. A teacher, as a servant of his country, may at times feel it his duty to manfully assert himself in opposition to the opinions of a school Board, for the members that constitute such a Board are as liable to err as the teacher with regard to the duties and requirements of the profession. The trustees, as servants of the people, deserve respect from the teacher but not more than is due to every gentleman in the community; and any act on the part of a School Board that will have a tendency to crush out a manly spirit in a teacher is to be deplored. Much depends on the character and conduct of our teachers as to what will be the character and conduct of our children, when they become men and women. The whole work of the teacher does not consist in imparting the instructions laid down in certain limit tables. All the while there is an undercurrent of education going on that is serving to mould the character of the child and of greater moment than the mastering of mere rules. Is it likely to keep the right kind of teachers in your schools or to bring in those who are outside when they fully realize the power of a School Board, whose decisions are in secret and whose attacks are general. Not very encouraging to feel that through a slight misunderstanding occurring at, or near, the end of the term, a teacher may find himself without a position and with an odium attached that will render it difficult for him to obtain a position elsewhere. The best of teachers, like other mortals, err at times, and the teacher who would never make a mistake would be more of a nonentity than a model teacher. But School Boards err, too, at times, and are not always more intelligent than the teachers. It may appear somewhat unfair to the Victoria School Board to suppose that it would discharge in this manner any of its staff of teachers. Does it expect or wish applications from outside teachers? If so, for what are they to apply? Has it any definite plan, or is it merely intended as an exercise for the teachers in writing applications and in airing testimonials some of which, by the way, may have been given by another Board in their secret joy at parting with the applicant. What positions are to be awarded to outside applicants? Does the Board know, or does it depend on the number and apparent efficiency of the outside applicants? Would it not be more businesslike, and more in keeping with what would be expected from a body of men occupying the position of the Victoria School Board, to at once dismiss any of their teachers who may be unfit to do their work in a satisfactory manner and fill the vacancies by promotion where necessary from those at present filling inferior positions? When this has been done let them advertise in a business-like way, stating definitely what they require, and outside teachers who may wish to procure a position in Victoria will feel more assurance when they know that its schools are presided over by a body of men who possess sufficient moral courage to openly dismiss incompetent teachers, and, at the same time, afford ample opportunity to those who are diligent and faithful to rise in the profession whenever circumstances will admit. There can be no better stimulus to a teacher than confidence in the judgment of the Trustees and the knowledge that his diligence will be rewarded by promotion as soon as he has proved himself worthy of it. With such a system faithfully carried out many might be willing to accept inferior positions in Victoria, trusting in their own ability to improve them. But as at present a thoughtful teacher will hesitate to apply for what is so vague and uncertain and may prove exceedingly unpleasant in the end.

An Outside Teacher.

HOW OFFICIALS ARE TREATED.

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir,—A few months ago Mr. Dodd, government agent, was removed from Kamloops to Lytton and now it is understood after that gentleman has been put to considerable expense both by the removal and by putting a dwelling into a suitable condition for his family, that the government are about to make another change by transferring him to Yale. The residents of Lytton sympathize with Mr. Dodd, who is much esteemed among them, and they feel much annoyed at the proposed change, as they consider that the interests of the district have not been duly considered. They are therefore petitioning the Honorable the Provincial Secretary to review the matter. Tax Payer.

Lytton, May 21st, 1888.

POLICE COURT NOTES.

[Before Hon. A. N. Richards, Q.C.]

Louis Freezy, charged with being drunk, fined $5 or in default one week.

John Stewart and Joseph Wilson, charged with attempting to rob the till of the Occidental Hotel, remanded to Friday.

A Creditable Job.

Mr. Jno. Meston, the well-known carriage, wagon-maker and blacksmith, Government street, yesterday shipped by the Amelia for a logging camp at Chemainus the largest pair of waggon wheels ever turned out in this city. They were ten feet in diameter, made of the very best hard wood, ironed in steel, and altogether a very creditable job.

—Now Opening—A large stock of Gents' Boots and Ties, the very latest styles and patterns, at the Golden Lion Crossing Brown, Yates street.

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THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.

To morrow will be the sixty-eighth anniversary of the birthday of our beloved and gracious Queen VICTORIA. She first saw daylight in the old Palace of Kensington on the 24th of May, 1819. Her Majesty's natal day will be celebrated throughout Her realms with that pomp and eclat which is due to her position as the sovereign of the most progressive and enlighted nation on the face of the earth. Last year the Jubilee of her accession to the throne was celebrated in a manner never before known in the history of monarchial government. In a few days another Jubilee in connection with her wonderful reign will also be celebrated—that of the coronation which took place on the 18th of June, 1838, with great splendor. From her infancy the Princess Victoria was as full of promise to the country as the month of her nativity is to the earth. Spring was being chased away by summer; the gardens round the palace were redolent with the perfume of the May and decked with all the glory of the snowy blooms of the horse-chestnut for which they are noted. When this then small human flower appeared, her German relatives loved to call the May blossom. She has for these many years ruled the destines of the mightiest monarchy the world has ever seen. Not only is she a Queen and Empress; but she is also a woman, a mother, whose traits of character as a maiden and wife raised the moral tone of her court to a very high status. As a ruler she has distinguished herself as adhering strictly to the constitution. She is and has been indefatigable in her efforts on behalf of her people. Her ready and outspoken sympathy for the masses—their woes and their wants—have given her an enduring throne in their hearts which death only can obliterate.

Right loyalty will the day be celebrated in Victoria, the loyalty of whose people and their devotion to their sovereign goes without saying. In another column will be found a programme of the festivities and events which have been prepared for the amusement of our citizens and those of our neighbors from over the borders who come to aid us in celebrating the Queen's birthday, a day which is not forgotten by many citizens who now take refuge under the stars and stripes.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

ANOTHER BLOW AT SLAVERY.

In the interest of humanity it is to be hoped that the health of DOM PEDRO, the liberal Emperor of Brazil, will be spared him a few weeks longer in order that he may be able to give royal assent to the bill adopted by both his legislative chambers, which enacts that all Brazilian slaves shall be liberated at an early date. This is the final step in a long process of gradual emancipation, which has been conducted with great wisdom and persistence by both Brazilian parties. About seventeen years ago the Liberals compelled a Conservative Government to enact that all children born thereafter of slave parents should be free. Slavery was thus doomed to utter extinction within the period of one human life. It was foreseen that as the slaves decreased in number by death there would be a strong disposition to release the survivors. Three years ago two great Provinces of the Empire abolished slavery entirely. At the same time the central Legislatures enacted measures for speedier manumission. Thanks to the emancipation fund created by law, and to the generosity of many slaveowners, the work of liberation has since proceeded with such great rapidity that its completion has been inexpensive and easy. The Brazilians may well be proud to have effected so gigantic a reform without war, confiscation, serious disturbance of production, or any occurrence not tending to promote good-will between the freedmen and their former owners.

GLADSTONE'S VERSATILITY.

Mr. GLADSTONE's industry and versatility are positively amazing. Though one would suppose that his very important and onerous political duties, which to most men would be the all-absorbing event, would occupy every moment of his life, lives, Mr. GLADSTONE finds time to read books and write elaborate, well-considered essays on many topics. For one publication he writes a thorough and exceedingly clever and careful criticism of a production of the foremost of the American Freethinkers. In another he reviews a novel, the tendency of which is to prejudice its readers against the Christian religion. The novel is Robert Elismere, and it author known to be Mrs. HUMPHREY WARD. Mr. GLADSTONE, after showing how unsatisfactory a religion of mere reason is, proceeds to say: "There has come upon the scene the figure of a Redeemer, human and divine. Let it be granted that this incarnation is a marvel wholly beyond our reach and that the miracle of resurrection to-day gives trouble to fastidious intellects. But the difficulties of baffled understanding, lying everywhere around us in our daily experience, are to be expected from its limitations. Not so the shocks encountered by moral sense. Even if the Christian scheme slightly lengthened the immeasurable catalogue of the first this would be mere dust in the balance compared with the relief it furnishes to the second in supplying the most powerful remedial agency ever known, in teaching how pain may be made a helper and evil transmuted into good, and in opening clearly the vision of another world in which we are taught to look for yet larger counsels of Almighty wisdom. To take away, then, an agency so beneficent, which has so softened and reduced morally the problems that lie thickly spread around us, and to leave us face to face with them in all their original rigor, is to enhance and not to mitigate the difficulties of belief."

FAREWELL LANSDOWNE.

This (Wednesday) afternoon is to be observed as a holiday in Ottawa, so that all classes may be able to take part in the farewell to Lord and Lady LANSDOWNE, who embark at Quebec to-morrow on the Parisian for Liverpool. The departure of His Excellency is generally regretted, for he proved himself a very acceptable executive. He assumed office in 1883, and leaves some considerable time before completing the official term usually allotted to a Governor-General. His period of service, however, though short, has been fruitful of many important and remarkable events. The completion of the Canadian Pacific Railway from ocean to ocean, opening up a new pathway over British territory to the east; the rebellion in the Northwest Territories, which, however much to be deplored for the causes of its origin and the loss of life involved in its suppression, was not devoid of public advantages; the final settlement of the Atlantic fisheries dispute, a matter of long standing contention between two of the great powers, and one which might at any moment develop into a serious international complication; and the initial step towards securing the admission of the ancient colony of Newfoundland into the Canadian Union, thus insuring the complete political unification of British North America, are some of the matters of weightiest import which have engaged the attention of Lord Lansdowne, and with respect to which, as in his general administrative course, he has displayed consummate ability, tact and judgment, affording proofs of the possession of the highest gifts of statesmanship. In the ordinary routine of office he has, it is said, evinced a careful, conscientious interest in the administration of justice, with results which have frequently been attended with advantage to society and to the government. The best test of the success of his administration is the entire absence from its record of friction or complaint. He has ruled constitutionally, and from first to last, apparently, has been in entire accord with his Ministers. His Lordship took a warm interest in education. Space will not permit us to-day to enlarge on his Lordship's general services to Canada—on his warm interest in education, particularly higher education, in literature, in the fine arts, and in science; on his efforts to promote among the youth and manhood of the country healthful out-door sports and amusements; and on his sympathetic encouragement of the Volunteer Militia Force. Let it suffice that he has devoted his time and his means to the promotion of all good and deserving works. Socially, his hospitality has been boundless. Like his immediate predecessors, Lords Lorne and Dufferin, he has at various times visited each of the several Provinces of the Dominion, thus familiarising himself with the character of the people and the resources of the country, and the speeches and addresses delivered by his Lordship on these occasions, while models of eloquence and pure diction, have practically tended not a little to produce beneficial results, by attracting abroad increased attention to Canada. He leaves Canada to assume the duties of the Vice Regal Palace in Calcutta as successor to Lord DUFFERIN. The best wishes of every true Canadian will follow Lord LANSDOWNE and his accomplished consort to their new sphere of labor, and the wish will be expressed that the same prosperity and success may attend His Excellency's government of the great Indian Empire as have crowned his administration of the Dominion. Lady LANSDOWNE's highest praise is that she is alive to the importance of her husband's position and no effort will be lacking on her part to render it one of acceptance to the nobles and the masses amongst whom their lot is to be cast for some time. We bid them a fond farewell and a God-speed in their future career.

Here it may be interesting to note an important fact in connection with the arrival and departure of our Governors General and the part one distinguished Canadian has played. The Hon. JOHN A. MACDONALD (now Sir) as a Cabinet Minister, in 1854 bade Lord ELGIN farewell and welcomed his successor, Sir EDMUND HEAD. In 1859 the same gentleman, as a member of the Executive, bade Sir EDMUND HEAD farewell and welcomed as his successor, Lord LISGAR, who was also farewelled by Sir JOHN in 1868 and his successor, Lord MONCK, welcomed. As Premier he gave a welcome to Lord DUFFERIN in 1872, and although he did not give that distinguished gentleman a farewell as Premier, yet before his successor, the Marquis of LORNE, had reached the shores of Canada he had again attained to that office in 1878. He bade H. R. H. the Princess LOUISE and the Marquis of LORNE farewell in 1883 and welcomed the latter's successor with whom he to-day had a parting farewell. In a few days he will be privileged to extend, for the seventh time the right hand of welcome to Canada's Governor-General. So far as known to the writer in no other country can a parallel be found to the foregoing. For the long period of 34 years has Sir JOHN occupied a position enabling him to be amongst the first to accord an official welcome to Her Majesty's representative in Canada. This Grand Old Man of Canada is now beyond the allotted span of three score and ten, but hale, hearty and vigorous, giving every evidence of a continued life of usefulness and activity in the interest of his adopted country, with whose history his name will be as enduring as are our mountains.

Rideau Hall, Ottawa, is one of the queerest places on earth. It is not a large house, and it has only some thirty inmates. Yet it takes 400 tons of coal and 300 cords of wood to run it for one calendar year. In that house it takes two stoves to keep each person warm. How many persons are occupied twelve hours a day in filling up stoves nobody has yet dared to calculate.

When Mr. Sheppard, of New York, the wealthy son-in-law of the late millionaire, W. H. Vanderbilt, started into journalism a few weeks ago by purchasing the Mail and Express, he startled the other papers by putting a text of Scripture at the head of the editorial page every day. His rivals in business showed a good-natured indulgence with this departure from established usage, but since he has issued an order prohibiting swearing in the office, they have come out unanimously against the innovation.

A meeting was held in Tokio, Japan, on the 3rd of February last which has not been taken so much notice of as it deserves, though it cannot fail to prove historical. It was convened to celebrate the completion of the Japanese translation of the Bible. Dr. Hepburn, a venerable American missionary, who had acted as chairman of the Permanent Committee, and had himself translated the greater part of the Old Testament, presided. On the table before him lay a handsomely-bound copy of the new translation in five volumes, which Dr. Hepburn, in the name of the Christian churches in America and Britain, formally presented to the people and church of Japan. The work thus happily completed was begun sixteen years ago. It has been executed with the greatest care and revised throughout by two competent Japanese scholars. The wording chosen is the pure native. The translation is free from Chinese and foreign terms, and thereby it will be easily understood by the unlearned and will have a strong influence towards preserving the pure native language. So far, in fact, it may do for Japanese what Luther's Bible has done for German and King James' version for English.

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2. Double Outrigger Skiffs, 2:30 p. m. 1st, $30; 2nd, $15. Entrance, $1.
3. Canoe Race, Indians, 3:45 p. m. $2 per paddle, not to exceed 12.
4. Four-Oared Race, for Boys under 15, 3 p. m. 1st, $20; 2nd, $10.
5. Naval Cutter Race, 4:20 p. m. 1st, $30; 2nd, $10.
6. Shell Race, Single Sculls, 4.45 p. m. 1st, $25; 2nd, $15. Entrance, $1.
7. Canoe Race for Klootchmen, 4 p. m. $2 per paddle, not to exceed 6.
8. Single Outrigged Skiffs, 4.20 p. m. 1st, $30; 2nd, $15. Entrance, $1.
9. Naval Race, whalers and gigs, 4.45 p. m. 1st, $20; 2nd, $10.
10. Swimming Match, 5 p. m. $10.
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All entries to the Boat Races to be handed in to the Treasurer, Mr. Russell, at the City Hall, on or before Monday, 21st, not later than 9 p.m.

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Immigrants are arriving from the east, and from Europe, at present in great numbers. So far as eastern Canada is concerned never before did so many people arrive upon our shores in the same time as have been landed this year. Whilst many of these are possessed of means, a considerable number are not so fortunately circumstanced. We know that a movement is on foot to raise remonstrances against making Canada a dumping ground for the squalid poverty and wretchedness of the great cities of the mother land. Still greater is the evil when this objectionable class are aided financially to reach American soil. In many lines the market is already glutted. In cities like Montreal, Toronto and Hamilton artizans and laborers have so infested the market that wages are so reduced as to make it almost impossible for families to subsist. It is then a just grievance with our industrial population that their earnings should be applied towards increasing competition with their own labor.

In all of the leading cities of the east comfortable immigration buildings have been erected for the accommodation of new-comers. These quarters are placed under proper supervision and the strangers made to feel at home and comfortable. At Winnipeg the accommodation for the desirable class who reach that city is a credit to the government and a matter in which the people there take considerable pride and interest. The newcomer is supplied with comfortable quarters. He is furnished with every information concerning the country and the most desirable locality in which he should reside. Guides are provided—free of all charge—to accompany him to any locality he may desire to visit. The land is properly surveyed and staked out; the section, township and range marked upon each corner post, or mound, so that any one can tell at a glance where he is. He can inspect the locality to his own satisfaction; make his notes, and on his return to the land office, either that of the Dominion or the Canadian Pacific, wherever these are located, enter for the land of his choice.

But behold the contrast which exists betwixt that section of the Dominion and this country. Immigrants arrive at Vancouver, or New Westminster, but find neither buildings to accommodate them nor agents to impart any information. It is true an agent resides in Victoria, but as the Dominion has no government lands for homesteading on the Island, farm immigrants do not come this length. Finding it impossible to gain any information about this land of promise, the Mecca to which they had been recommended to come to better their condition, they pick up their effects, and with their wives, families and relatives, cross the line and are welcomed by Uncle Sam's rustlers, who invade every incoming train. The Chinese take care of their own kith and kin, but the Anglo-Saxon and the Canadian is allowed to remain or depart just as they may deem proper. As matters now stand there is no more use for a Dominion immigration agent here than for a fifth wheel to a waggon. The Provincial Government should look after those arriving in Victoria, and the Dominion those coming to the Mainland. It is nonsense to suppose that an immigrant is going to come to Victoria to consult the agent. The comfort and the convenience of the immigrant should be considered in preference to that of any officials, who are hired by the people to look after the people's interests. At present aid is extended to an emigrant to come to Canada. He is whirled across the continent at a low rate, in the hope that he may become a citizen. On reaching this coast the cold shoulder is given him. He finds no one to grasp his hand and give him a welcome. He feels himself a stranger, shunned by those who should look after him and render that aid and information which he was promised before leaving the land of his nativity, in securing a home for himself, his wife and family. The immigration affairs of this province are not what they must be if we intend holding those who come amongst us seeking a home. What does it profit the province if we have an unrivalled climate; a country of illimitable resources; every thing, in brief, to make man comfortable and happy, if a wet blanket is thrown over everything by the inadequacy of the attention to be given to immigrants? Hundreds who have crossed to the Sound will vouch for the correctness and truthfulness of these remarks and strictures. The subject is a serious one and requires immediate attention.

Commenting on the foregoing the New Westminster *Columbian* observes that "immigrants arriving in "the city are subject to a great deal "of trouble and considerable expense "owing to the absence of any regular "immigrant agent from whom the "new-comers can obtain definite in-"formation regarding vacant lands "and suitable locations for settling "on. This is a matter that requires "immediate consideration if we de-"sire to keep the new arrivals in the "country."

The health of the Hon. T. B. Pardee, Commissioner of Crown Lands for Ontario since his arrival home has not been satisfactory, and the London Advertiser says: It is understood that should Mr. Pardee not find himself sufficiently restored in health to continue in office, and feel unfortunately compelled to retire, Col. Gibson, M. P. P. for Hamilton, will take a portfolio. While it would be a source of regret to see Mr. Pardee relinquish his office through any cause, more especially ill health, there is satisfaction in knowing that Mr. Mowat has at his back such capable men as Col. Gibson.

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THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Victoria office, No. 42 Langley street, on Monday, the fourth day of June next, at 11:30 o'clock, a. m., to receive the report of the Board, to elect Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may then and there be submitted.

The transfer books will be closed from the twenty-first day of May to the fourth day of June, inclusive.

By order, GEO. A. BARGISON, Sec'y.

Revelstoke, May 18th, 1888.
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TIME TABLE NO. 9.
Taking effect November 1, 1887.

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Lv Seattle	10.45 a.m.	Lv Pt. Townsend	9.00 a.m.
Ar Pt. Townsend	5.30 p.m.	Ar Seattle	12.15 p.m.
Lv Pt. Townsend	5.30 p.m.	Lv Seattle	3.30 p.m.
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NOTICES.

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1876."

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A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE Title to an undivided half of part of Section 14, Soake District, will be issued to William Bell Charters, on the 1st day of June, 1888, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said part of said section or some part thereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, 1st March 1888. fe29 3m

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name of Neufelder & Ross has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts due the late firm must be paid to Mr. Dixie H. Ross, who will assume all liabilities and continue the business under the firm name of Dixie H. Ross & Co.

E. C. NEUFELDER.
DIXI H. ROSS.

Witnessed by
CHAS. WILSON, Solicitor, Victoria.
Victoria, May 3rd, 1888.

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PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Wednesday, May 23, 1888

A Holiday.

To-morrow, the 24th of May, being a public holiday, will be generally observed by a cessation of all business and the general turn out of our citizens to witness the sports. Accordingly there will be no issue of THE TIMES to-morrow evening.

Arrived!

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar.

Temperance Picnic.

The managers of the temperance picnic to be held at Langford Plains desire the public to bear in mind that the last train will leave at 2 p.m. instead of 1:30 as at first announced.

To the Ladies.

A large stock of Whitney's celebrated baby carriages just received by John Weiler, Fort street.

For the North.

The steamship Geo. W. Elder, Captain Hunter, left for Alaska at 11 o'clock this morning. She will call at Port Chester or New Metlakahtla on the way up. About twenty excursionists were on board. Pilot George went up on the steamer.

Black Dress Materials a Specialty.

Ladies who wear Black from choice will always find the most varied selection at the CITY HOUSE.

Grand Excursion.

Trains will leave for Langford's Plains to-morrow with excursionists for the Temperance Picnic. Lacrosse and baseball matches will be played on the plains and a splendid programme of athletic sports will be carried out. The B.C.G.A. band will accompany the party and refreshments will be supplied by the societies at the usual city prices. The excursion affords an opportunity to spend the day away from the cares and turmoil of city life.

The New Plush Cretonnes.

Beautiful patterns in this stylish material for Curtains, &c., just received at the CITY HOUSE.

The Regatta.

The steamer Eliza and barge will convey passengers to and from the Gorge on Queen's birthday, from Yates street slip; commencing about one o'clock. Fare 25 cents each way.

Imports and Exports.

For the month of May there were shipped from San Francisco for this port 310 lbs. of hops valued at $29. For the four months of the present year the shipments of hops were 960,739 lbs., an increase of 147,628 lbs. as compared with last year.

British Columbia exported to San Francisco 120,000 lbs. of rice meal valued at $2,340. San Francisco to Victoria exported 2,100 lbs. of rice valued at $122.

Well Done Bell.

Princess Louise, wishing to buy an organ this fall, requested two of London's most famous organists to select one, and after a thorough test they chose one of W. Bell & Co.'s. C. A. Lombard & Co. are the sole agents for British Columbia.

Increase in Traffic.

The following table taken from the annual report of the company will indicate to our readers the increase which is taking place in the volume of traffic handled by the Canadian Pacific Railway on its main and branch lines. It will be observed that the revenue is kept under six heads and that the increase in each has been highly satisfactory:

	1886.	1887.
Passengers	$1,859,252 99	$ 2,175,713 69
Freight	4,981,825 54	6,112,379 59
Mails	195,131 93	205,924 19
Express	172,805 05	206,571 41
Parlor and sleeping cars	73,937 35	113,698 96
Telegraph and miscellaneous	344,436 06	588,154 43
Total	$8,026,388 12	$10,091,960 29

Passengers	$ 2,455,416 49	
Freight	6,924,130 47	
Mails	241,949 05	
Express	235,035 69	
Parlor and sleeping cars	179,636 39	
Telegraph and miscellaneous	874,493 31	
Total	$11,806,412 30	

A Capital Arrangement.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has made arrangements whereby tourists holding Northern Pacific return tickets can have the return portion exchanged for those reading via Canadian Pacific, by applying to Robert Irving, C. P. R. office, Government street.

The Late Archbishop Lynch.

The funeral of the late Archbishop Lynch took place in Toronto on the 16th inst. The requiem mass for the dead was celebrated by Cardinal Taschereau, and the sermon was preached by Bishop Ryan of Buffalo. In the procession there were Cardinal Taschereau, eight archbishops and bishops and ninety-four priests, the Mayor and members of the City Council, and a large number of citizens. It was one of the most imposing funeral processions ever witnessed in Toronto. The late archbishop was ill but a few hours. His death resulted from inflamation of the bowels, which manifested itself first whilst on a visit to St. Catharines on Thursday previous to his death. He at once returned to Toronto and died at 1 on Saturday.

Women in Business.

In this age of extreme activity and wonderful development, it is a noteworthy fact that many women have made their own way in mercantile life, and successfully compete with men in many lines of business. Women, whether they labor in the household or in the store, are all liable to suffer from functional derangements and the cares of maternity. For all troubles known under the category of "female weaknesses," Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a tonic and tried specific. It relieves the greatest sufferers, and restores the patient to vigorous health and strength. It is the only medicine for women, sold by druggists, *under a positive guarantee*, from the manufacturers, that it will give satisfaction in every case, or money will be refunded. This guarantee has been printed on the bottle-wrapper and faithfully carried out for many years.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure constipation, biliousness, sick headache, bilious headache, and all derangements of the stomach, liver and bowels. wed-sat

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Ice Cream at Steitz's.

—City Council this evening.

—Oysters and Turtles at Poodle Dog.

—Kurtz's Jubilee Cigars are now ready.

—Call and see Fisher & Wilson, architects, before ordering plans.

—The Ancon will be due from Alaska to-morrow.

—Call at the Albion House and inspect the new goods now being opened.

—Tenders for the brick extension to the City Hall will be opened this evening.

—New Jackets and Mantles at Albion House.

—Steamer Yosemite connected with all trains and left Vancouver at 2 p. m.

—Novelties in parasols and sunshades at the Albion House.

—Milk Punch and Champagne Cocktails at the Pritchard House.

—A. C. West, Dentist, extracts teeth absolutely without pain by a new process.

—British Columbia salmon is to be found in every menu card of the leading hotels in the east.

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., and views of Alaska for sale at R. MAYNARD'S, Douglas St.

—The case against George Price for alleged attempt at poisoning has been postponed until the fall assizes.

—Hot luncheon between 12 and 2:30 daily, except Sunday, at the Boomerang. McDermott & Cliffe, proprietors.

—The Grand Lodge of British Columbia, A. F. & A. M., will meet in New Westminster on June 22.

—Modern building for the least possible money. See Fisher & Wilson, architects.

—The average daily attendance of children in the Donald public school is about 30 and rapidly increasing.

—Ross & Ceperley, Real Estate and Insurance. C. P. R. Co.'s lots for sale; correspondence solicited. P. O. Block, Hastings street, Vancouver, B. C.

—The price of land in the town of Donald has been raised from 10c per foot frontage to $5 by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

—The horse Frank Hastings, jr., having been injured by jumping upon a picket fence, will not take part in the running race at Beacon Hill to-morrow.

—Tomb and Headstones, Monuments, in Marble, imported and local Granite, Mantle pieces and Wash Stands in Marble, artistically executed, and at reasonable rates, at George Budge's Marble Works, Douglas street, Victoria. Call and see specimens of work.

—On Friday evening, 18th inst., the wife of Thomas Conyer, proprietor of the Bodega saloon, Donald, committed suicide by taking a large dose of laudanum.

English Window Glass, 16 oz., all sizes; also Stained and Enamelled Glass, at Muirhead and Mann's Sash and Door Factory.

—The Sergeants and non commissioned officers of C Battery will hold a Quadrille Party in Philharmonic Hall this evening. A number of invitations have been issued.

—The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's earnings for the week ending May 14th were $222,000, and for the same week last year $211,000. This does not include the earnings on the Southeastern railway.

—In chronic diseases, medicines should be restoring, and not debilitating, in their action. The wonderful strengthening and curative effects, realized from the us of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, sustain the reputation of this remedy as the most popular blood purifier.

—The steamer Skagit Chief from Tacoma will bring over to this city this evening a party of excursionists from Tacoma and Seattle. The excursion is in honor of Queen Victoria's birthday.

—The Whatcom *Reveille* in commenting upon the abolition of the monopoly clause asks: "Now where are the Bellingham Bay railroads that ceased work two years ago because they could not cross the British boundary."

—For the largest and best assortment of FURNITURE, CARPETS, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, LAMPS, &c., go to J. SEHL, Government Street, where you are sure to get suited in style, quality and lowest prices.

—The Olympian carried from Tacoma for Victoria, on Monday last, 152 tons of freight as follows: 1500 sacks of flour, 400 sheep, 1 car of lumber, 1 excelsior, 1 hams and bacon, 1 wheat and bran, 2 feed, 19 merchandise. This is one of the largest cargoes ever taken out from Tacoma by that steamer.

—The towns of Goldendale in W.T., and Palouse in eastern Oregon, were lately visited by a very disastrous fire. The conflagration carried everything before it, leaving nothing but ashes behind it in the portion of the city where the fire broke out.

—Malarial poisons contain the germs of dangerous diseases. If these poisons accumulate in the system, Typhoid, Bilious, Intermittent or Chill Fever is sure to follow. Ayer's Ague Cure is a warranted specific for malaria.

—Serious complaints are being made regarding the conduct of the men who are plastering the court buildings throwing out the refuse into the street, to the annoyance of passers-by and those occupying offices in that vicinity. The dust is fine and flies with the slightest breeze in every direction.

—New to-day at the Albion House: Jackets, mantles, dress goods, linen collars, sets and handkerchiefs, prints, cambrics, sateens, ginghams and zephyrs, parasols and sunshades, art muslins, lace and scrim curtains, boys' and girls' straw hats, sheetings, table linen and table cloths. BROWN & WHITE.

—Mr. Ozarat, owner of the most extensive horse ranche in the Northwest, passed through Winnipeg on Monday last, accompanied by M. Houn, of Maple Creek. They have with them several magnificent blood horses purchased in Newmarket, England, which Mr. Ozarat will use for breeding purposes. Some of them have won important races in England.

Athletes Attention!

Rubber spiked lined boots and shoes at Erskine's Boot and Shoe Emporium. Try them. Corner Government and Johnson streets.

SUPREME COURT.

[Before Hon. Justice Crease.]

TUESDAY, May 22, 1888.

The jury brought in a verdict of not guilty in the case of Henry Alexander.

The Grand Jury brought in true bills in the cases of D. R. Munro for embezzlement and George Price for attempting to poison his daughter.

The Grand Jury made the following presentment:

1. That a complaint having been handed to them by the residents of Cadboro Bay road of the offensive and unhealthy effluvia coming from the slaughter house of Messrs. Van Volkenburgh & Co., the Grand Jury unanimously resolve: That the nuisance be at once abated, and that the police see that the necessary steps be taken for that purpose, and also for the abatement of all similar nuisances that may exist in the districts of Victoria and Esquimalt.

2. The attention of the Grand Jury having been directed to the existence of a supposed case of leprosy in and around the Supreme Court during the present sitting, they beg to direct the attention of the proper authorities to have the affected person examined and isolated if the disease is of a contagious nature.

3. The Grand Jury also beg to call the attention of the court to the existence of magazines for the storage of gunpowder and other explosives in dangerous proximity to places of public resort in and around the city of Victoria, and express the hope that steps will at once be taken to have the danger removed.

L. B. HAMLIN, Foreman.

Victoria, May 22, 1888.

His Lordship then thanked the Grand Jury for the manner in which they had conducted themselves and discharged them from further attendance.

The case of Ah Sam was then resumed and the following jury was sworn: John Piercy (foreman), Wm. Wait, E Lewis, J. K. Law, G. A. Perrin, J. J. Russell, J. F. Chandler, F. Sylvester, W. H. Coate, W. J. Cameron, J. Colbert, H. Downer.

Prisoner was charged with stealing money and jewelry from the residence of F. W. Foster.

Mrs Foster, Officer Robb, Officer Levin, A Aaronson and Ah Sue, gave evidence of a like nature to that taken in the police court and the case was given to the jury, who returned in three minutes and pronounced the prisoner guilty on the second count.

Mr. Taylor said he would enter a *nolle prosequi* in the case of stealing treasures. Sentence was reserved.

(Before Sir M. B. Begbie, C. J.)

Lim Sam and Lum Hip, charged with conspiring to murder John E. Gardener, an employee of the Dominion Government.

The prisoners entered a plea of not guilty, when the following jury were drawn and sworn: T Williams, R Price, H Beckwith, A Whetstone, W Tyler, G Gawley, J Fort, R McMillan, Alex Murray, F M Peat.

Messrs. J H Baker, C F Moore, J F Chandler, J J Bassel, R Law and R Baker, were challenged.

Deputy Attorney Irving and Mr. Thornton Fell conducted the prosecution—M W T Drake, Q C, and Chas Wilson, Q C, appeared for the defence.

Mr. Irving said there were seven counts against the prisoners, who were members of the Chinese society known as "Highbinders" or Chinese Masons. It would be necessary to find both prisoners guilty of the same number of counts, as they were arraigned on the same charge, one could not be found guilty of any count and the other acquitted. They could be found guilty of one or all the counts. There is a clause in the Chinese Restriction Act prohibiting the landing of Chinese prostitutes. The prisoners are accused of visiting in-coming vessels and by false representations landing a number of the prostitutes. Mr. Gardener obtained their hatred by interfering with the unlawful practice. Lim Sam is supposed to be the head of this society and Lum Hip is the hired assasin, or "soldier" as he is called. Mr. Irving, at considerable length, explained the cause of the arrest of the prisoners and read the letters and papers found in the prisoners rooms and possession.

Mr. C. Legett was called to settle the title of a lot on Cormorant street and occupied by Lim Sam and leased by him.

Mr. J. E. Gardener sworn—Am employed by the government as Chinese interpreter; have to visit foreign vessels on their arrival and prohibit the landing of all Chinese women whom I suspect to be prostitutes, know prisoners, have seen them at boats helping prostitutes to land; they have been there every time, Lim Sam at one time attempted to take a young Chinese girl from me, I was appointed her guardian. The Highbinders is a society of blackmailers, murderers, intimidators, and every species of iniquity that human mind can conceive of. There are branches in all cities; the headquarters arei n San Francisco.

Mr. Drake, QC, for the defence subjected Mr. Gardener to a cross-examination which was not concluded until after six o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, May 23.

All petty jurymen, excepting those engaged in the Lim Sam and Lum Hip conspiracy case, were discharged until 2 o'clock p. m.

(Before His Lordship Chief Justice Begbie.)

The charges against Lim Sam for conspiracy to murder Mr. J. E. Gardener were continued this morning.

Mr. C. F. Moore was called for the defense and also as an expert in the Chinese language and writing.

To Mr. Drake—The word Lap appears in the letter produced.

To Mr. Fell—There has been time for a letter to go to China and come back since the proceedings in this case commenced. There are four characters in Chinese writing. I can only write it in two characters.

Sergt. H. W. Sheppard sworn and said he received a search warrant from Mr. Gardener on Dec. 27th to search a wash house on Fisguard street. In company with Mr. Gardener and Officer Thomas found a letter in a trunk; the marked letter produced was in the trunk; found a red letter in Lum Hip's valise; prisoner tried to grab the red letter; found two knives in a valise and two iron bars in the room; arrested prisoner; he was searched by the jailor. I know where the Chee Kong Tong society meet; don't know who runs the Society; they are called Highbinders; don't know whether the Chinese meet in the hall.

To Mr. Drake—About twelve Chinese live in the house; saw Lum Hip's sign in front of the house; it is a common thing to find weapons in Chinese houses, and they have lots of iron bars on their premises; I never saw but one double knife before.

To Mr. Irving—I never saw a double knife before excepting on a Chinaman arrested for burglary.

To a Juror—The iron bars are kept for their protection.

Officer C. J. Miller—I am a Provincial constable and I am acquainted with the prisoners; received orders to go to Russell's station to protect a Chinese girl; saw Lim Sam at the station; Ah Wing and the other prisoner were there.

To Mr. Drake—The girl was crying; saw two Chinese women and no Chinamen in the train.

Mah Kam sworn—I live in Victoria and have been here for four years; prisoners are members of the Chee Kong Tong Society; Lum Hip is a salaried soldier of the society; he witches the door and if trouble comes inside he talks to them; he carries out the orders of the director; the red documents is the appointment of Lum Hip; if he is hurt he receives $10 per month and $200 if he is killed; if he goes to gaol he gets $100 to send home; Lim Sam is interpreter; don't know whether he owns the ground on which the hall stands; Lim Sam built it; the society was organized over 100 years; it was organized for the purpose of getting the throne back; if an officer went back and declared openly that he was a member of the society he would be killed; the salaried soldiers received all women from China and take them to the society; if they are brought by force they are sent back; if by their own free will they remain; never heard of one brought by force; a number ran away in this city; my name appears on the paper produced and reads that I will not do what the paper states; I am not friendly with Mr. Gardiner.

To Mr. Drake—The society look after sick and poor Chinese. We raised a subscription for the Chinese killed at Nanaimo; the sick and poor are supplied with a doctor; a large number meet and Lum Hip is provided with a long sword; saw letter produced in the police court.

To Mr. Fell—The characters Chee Hong Tong means "very good society." Heard they sent $300 to Nanaimo.

[Before His Lordship Justice Crease.]

When the Court re-assembled this afternoon Deputy Attorney-General Irving stated that the Crown was not ready to go on with the case of D. R. Munro, charged with embezzlement, on account of the absence of evidence which would not be able to reach this city in time for the present assizes. The case was postponed until the fall assizes.

The petty jurymen were then dismissed and will not be needed again unless the jury disagree in the Lim Sam conspiracy case.

PERSONAL.

Mr A O Hastings is at the Clarence.

Lord Norbury is a guest at the Driard.

Mr Urish Nelson returned from the mainland last night.

Senator Carvill is ill and has been ordered to leave Ottawa.

Mr C T Ambridge, of the C P R, Montreal, is a guest at the Driard.

Mr Richard Hall, of Hall & Goepel, left for Vancouver this morning.

Mr G A Keefer, of this city, who has been ill for some days, is recovering.

Mr Henry Bracken has been nominated as the Liberal candidate for Cardwell.

Mr W P Grenfell, of the C P R directorate, London, and Miss Grenfell are guests at the Driard.

Frank Manning, son of A. Manning, Toronto, ex-mayor, died last Sunday. The deceased was 23 years of age.

It is said that Henry Villard will succeed Sidney Dillon as president of the Oregon Transcontinental company.

Mr Garson, a prominent Grophite, has left the Royal City of the east for Vancouver, where he will reside in future.

Our new Governor-General sails for Canada on the 31st inst. He will reside at the Citadel, Quebec, for three months after his arrival.

Mr W J Gallagher, representing Miller & Richards, type founders, Toronto, and recently of the Pembroke, Ont, Observer, is in the city.

Mr Martin, brother of Henry and James Martin of this city, arrived last evening by the C P R from England. He speaks very highly of his trip.

Mr W H Miller and Miss Minnie Rasmen, were married a few days since in Yorkton, N W T. They will remove to and reside in this province hereafter.

At the Clarence are: O Fletcher, City; D McGregor, A H Todd, Tacoma; J F Sherrit, Mercer, Pa; J E Duss, Charlottetown, N C; R E Barkley, Dancans; A O Hastings, Vancouver; W G Dauer, City.

Among the arrivals by Monday's train at Vancouver, was Miss Bessie Savage, of Creen Norton, Northamptonshire, England, who goes to take charge of the mission school in connection with the Methodist Church at Greenwith, on the Nass river.

At the Oriental are: J Harper and wife, Departure Bay; W Gardner, D T Sherrett, Portland; A Bernard and wife, Seattle; T Omond, St Paul; Morris Jackson, Portland; G W Wallace, Butte City; S Gibbs, Steamer; E A Wadhams, Ladness Landing; J M Whiteside, New Westminster.

Mr and Mrs R Cruickshank, Mr R Cruickshank, jr, and Misses Cruickshanks from Aberdeen and Perth, Scotland, were amongst the arrivals by the Yosemite last night. They are guests at Mrs S J McDonnell's, Birdcage Walk. They have friends in this neighborhood and have come here to reside.

William Taylor, aged 25, a graduate of McGill, Montreal, and son of the late Andrew Taylor Halifax, died of consumption last Sunday at Riverside, Cal. The deceased was engaged to Miss Lizzie O Donnell, a very handsome Halifax girl. Two months after he went away, learning he could not recover, she went voluntarily to nurse him. He married he before he died.

The following are registered at the Driard: J S Taber, C S McLeod, San Francisco; C H Norby, Minneapolis; A L Reid, Winfield, Kan; J S Pomeroy, Vancouver, Pa; C E Patterson, Iowa; C H Pomeroy and wife, Seattle; J L Shitzer, C T Ambridge, Montreal; M P Grenfell and wife, Miss Grenfell, Lord Norbury, London, England; Mr and Mrs E T Wacklat, Chicago; Mrs A B Claxton, Mrs E R Pardee, Philadelphia.

Mothers!

Castoria is recommended by physicians for children teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation, its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste and absolutely harmless. It relieves constipation, regulates the bowels, quiets pain, cures diarrhœa and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms, and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mother's friend. 35 doses, 35 cents. mr 21 3m.

The Glad Tidings.

The missionary steamer Glad Tidings went over to Vancouver yesterday to take several missionary teachers on board and will return to Nanaimo this evening. She will leave on Thursday morning for Port Simpson and interme diate points.

Col. Baker M. P. P.

Col. Baker M. P. P., is delivering a series of addresses in the Kootenay district giving an account of his stewardship during the past two sessions. The Colonel said the past session was a stormy one and the policy of the opposition obstructive. He claimed credit for having secured the sum of $30,000 as a smelter for Kootenay district. He made no reference to the Liquor or Sunday bills. A vote of confidence in the Colonel was moved by Sheriff Redgrave and seconded by government contractor McLean.

—The steward of the Royal Hospital thanks Mr. F. Barnard for a donation of wearing apparel for the patients.

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Club Theatre.

The management has decided to give an extraordinary entertainment on Thursday evening, it being the occasion of the Queen's birthday. The performance will commence with a sparkling comedy, to be followed by an array of Vaudeville stars, and to conclude with Holmes Grover's great English drama entitled "Lady Audley's Secret." During the entertainment Mr. Holmes Grover, jr., one of America's most eloquent recitationists, will deliver an eulogy on the event of the day. There will be several bands of music in attendance. The whole *fete* to wind up with a grand ball. Admission to the performance, 25 cents; and for the ball, 25 cents extra.

Yes, Ladies, Our $3.00 French Kid Gaiters are the same that you pay $3.00 for elsewhere. See them and be convinced. RUSSELL, McDONALD & Co, opposite the Iron Church, Douglas Street.

NEW TO-DAY.

STRAYED.

A light bay horse with white points, branded CC on left hip, came to the premises of Swan Lake in April. The owner can have the same by paying pasture and advertisement. If not claimed in 2 weeks will be sold by auction. may22-2t R. C. DE VILLE

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Under the auspices of the United Temperance Bodies of the City.

THE PROCEEDS WILL ASSIST IN PAYING off the debt on Temperance Hall.

A Lacrosse Match and Baseball Game will be played on the Plains for Silver Challenge Cups.

Athletic Sports for Prizes will be carried out under the management of a Special Committee.

A Brass Band will be in attendance.

Trains will leave the Victoria depot.

Refreshments will be furnished at the usual prices.

TICKETS for the Round Trip, 75 cts; Children under 12 years, 35cts.

Further particulars will be published shortly.

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QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Social Dance

AT

PHILHARMONIC HALL

A Social Dance will be held on

Thursday Evening, May 24th,

Commencing at 8 O'Clock.

Music will be furnished by the Queen City Orchestra.

TICKETS, admitting Ladies and Gentleman, $1.00, to be had from the Committee: F. H. CAMPBELL, A. DEARBERG, JOSEPH DAVIES, T. DEASY. may 14 td

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